

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of

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For: NATURAL FOOT ORTHOSIS AND

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME

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AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed June 5, 1998, please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 28-35.

Please amend claims 1, 10, 15 and 24 as follows:

(Amended) A method of forming a natural foot orthosis for providing support for a lower extremity, comprising the steps of:  
forming a positive mold of said lower extremity;  
positioning a thermoformable plastic material around predetermined locations on said positive mold for providing increased support for the natural foot orthosis at